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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Kenji OMI

Group Art Unit: 2834

Application No.: 09/583,729

Examiner: B. Mullins

Filed: May 31, 2000

Docket No.: 106330

For: BLOWER

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated November 15, 2002.

The \$320.00 Appeal Fee (\$160.00 Small Entity) is:


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 Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this
application with no Board Decision on the merits).

The shortened statutory period having expired February 15, 2002, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for Three months. Included in our enclosed check is \$930.00 in payment of the fee for a Three month extension of time for filing this Notice of Appeal.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this document are enclosed.

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